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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Takehiko HAMAGUCHI *et al.*
Serial No.: 10/633,621
Filed: 5 August 2003
Title: MAGNETIC DISK APPARATUS HAVING AN ADJUSTABLE
MECHANISM TO COMPENSATE WRITE OR HEAT ELEMENT
FOR OFF-TRACKING POSITION WITH YAW ANGLE
Group: 2651
Examiner: Dismery E. Mercedes
Conf. No.: 5368

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

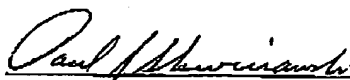
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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18 March 2005

Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for an extension of the due date for response to the Office Action mailed 18 November 2004 in connection with the above-identified application. A Form PTO-2038 including payment of the requisite Petition fee is being filed concurrently herewith. Please charge any actual deficiencies in fees to ATS&K Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (as No. 520.43013X00).

Respectfully submitted,



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